## REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement of February 8, 2006, Applicants have elected, without traverse, Invention I, as in Claims 1-16 and 21-27, directed to endodontic files and method of using the files.

Applicants withdraw Invention II, as described in Claims 17-20, drawn to a file holder and organizer.

Applicant notes that the Examiner referred to an "endodontic file" when describing Invention I in Claims 1-16 and 21-27. However, Applicants note that Claims 21-27 are directed to a set of a plurality of files, not a single file. Should the Examiner require further restriction, Applicant's attorney requests that the Examiner call the undersigned at 631-361-8737.

It is respectfully submitted that the case in allowable form, which allowance is earnestly solicited.

Date: March \$ , 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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